

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) An oven comprising:

a cooking chamber defined by chamber walls;

a baffle plate mounted within the cooking chamber for directing the flow of air within the cooking chamber, said baffle plate being provided with at least one aperture;

a fan for moving air within the cooking chamber, and for maintaining a flow of air through said aperture; and

a catalytic converter located within the cooking chamber, wherein
~~characterized in that~~ the catalytic converter is mounted both on said baffle plate and upstream of said fan; and

a grease filter mounted on an upstream side of said catalytic converter.

2. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said catalytic converter is mounted on ~~the~~ an upstream face of said baffle plate.

3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said catalytic converter is mounted on ~~the~~ a downstream face of said baffle plate.

5. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 4, wherein ~~a~~ said grease filter is mounted on ~~the~~ an upstream face of said baffle plate.

6. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein ~~a~~said grease filter is mounted on the ~~the~~a downstream face of said baffle plate.
7. (Canceled)
8. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein ~~further~~further comprising a heating element ~~is provided~~located downstream of said fan.
9. (Currently amended) An oven as claimed in claim 1 ~~which is provided with~~further comprising a microwave heating means.
10. (Original) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said baffle plate is arranged so that air flows around at least two opposite edges of the baffle plate.
11. (Original) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said baffle plate is rectangular and is arranged so that air flows around all four edges of the baffle plate.
12. (Original) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said baffle plate extends across said cooking chamber from side to side so as to divide said cooking chamber into a cooking area in which, in use, food is cooked, and a second area which houses said fan.
13. (Original) An oven as claimed in claim 12, wherein said baffle plate is provided with a plurality of perforations.
14. (Original) An oven as claimed in claim 13, wherein said catalytic converter is positioned to cover said perforations.

15. (New) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said fan, said baffle and said oven chamber are located to circulate air in a path that includes said baffle, said fan, said oven chamber, said grease filter and said catalytic converter.

16. (New) An oven as claimed in claim 1, wherein said baffle plate is positioned for air to flow around one or more edges thereof into said oven chamber and to return to said fan via said grease filter, said catalytic converter and said aperture.